

April 18, 2014 Interview with Myodo Miyakawa, President Rinzaishu Myoshinjaha Buddhist temple facing Inuyama Castle. Over 500 yr. old. (Next to Jo-An Tea House)



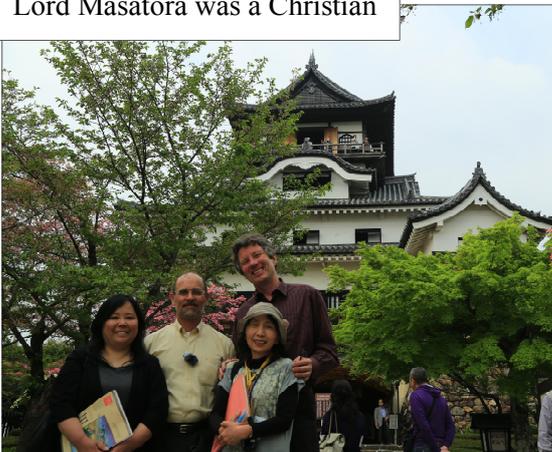
According to local historical records from Inuyama, Gifu Prefecture:

**Lord Naruse Masatora**  
Second Lord of Inuyama Castle:

Protected Christians during persecution time by secretly sending them to Wakayama, for safety.

Priest Miyakawa declared:

- Lord Masatora's Memorial, at temple, contains Cross symbol
- Tea cup and soup bowl are not on display to public, but also contain Cross symbol.
- Lord Masatora was a Christian



Inuyama Castle built by uncle of Nobunaga. Oldest remaining castle in Japan (70% original)



Naruse Masatora - Second Lord of Inuyama Buddhist Priest confirms - "He was a Christian."